

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS

The third month of school shows the following items of interest:

The enrollment by buildings is: High school 372, Central 153, Davis building 166, First ward 310, Second ward 74, Third ward 301, Fourth ward 295; a total of 1671.

Tardiness reported by buildings is: High school 60, Central 6, Davis 3, First ward 5, Second ward 7, Third ward 11, Fourth ward 7.

The following rooms had no tardy pupils: Miss Fordney, Mrs. Witherell, Miss Wilda Clark, Miss Pfautz, Miss Alice Ewing, Miss Thrallkill, Miss Moffit, Miss Sharrock, Miss Bryant, Miss Durbin, Miss Devalon, Miss Gunn and Miss Chase.

There were 525 visitors, 41 visits to parents, 22 cases of truancy without knowledge of parents, 44 entered.

Canton, Ohio, Dec. 2.—J. P. Miller, charged with assaulting his wife, admitted to Judge Quinn in Court today that he did give her a "good spanking," because, he said, she opened his letters against his wishes.

"We have been married less than a year," he said, "and we had lots of trouble here lately. It went so far that I finally decided to give her a good spanking, and I certainly did lay it to her."

Mrs. Miller, who is 20 years old, said that her husband did spank her. When the Judge offered to send him to the workhouse she asked that he be given another chance. Judge Quinn gave him a suspended sentence.

Fond du Lac, Wis., December 2.—After having been out 49 hours the jury in the case of Martin O'Donnell, of Oconto, against the M. W. Marshall Medicine Company, of this city, returned a verdict awarding O'Donnell \$666, but also finding that a relative of the plaintiff had been guilty of contributory negligence.

The case involved the acts of a traveling agent of the medicine concern in distributing samples of a rheumatism liniment in Oconto. A small daughter fed to an infant the contents of the bottle left at the house by the distributor.

The baby died and the father sued, blaming the medicine company under the law forbidding promiscuous handing out of medicine samples.

Des Moines, Iowa, December 2.—Six bank robbers tied a passerby in the bank of Russell at midnight, and for three hours tried to crack the safe, only to be frightened out of town by a sheriff, who made a record run on a Burlington railroad engine to capture the robbers.

George Storms, a restaurant man at Russell, was going home at midnight and stopped in front of the bank to take a drink from the town pump. Two men seized him, and after gagging him, tied him to a chair in the bank, occasionally turning from the work four others were doing at the safe door, to threaten him with instant death.

They fired 12 shots of nitroglycerin and had torn off the vault door when the outlooks warned the robbers, and

the whole party vanished.

Homer Jeffreys, Cashier, saw the light in the bank and two men watching in front. He telephoned to the sheriff at Charlton, 10 miles distant. That officer, with Max Shaffer, night watchman, seized a Burlington engine at the depot, making the 10 miles to Russell in 11 minutes, only to find the robbers had been scared away.

Coe-Wilson

Wedding

Word was received in Lock on Friday morning stating that Mr. Walter Coe of Lock and Miss Flossie Wilson of Croton were united in marriage On Thursday evening in Newark, O. The young people are very well known and their wedding was a surprise to their many friends. Mr. and Mrs. Coe will make their future home on a farm just north of Lock.

Bertho Club Members
Entertain With Dance

The members of the Bertho club and their ladies enjoyed a dance in the Pythian armory Thursday evening. Music for the occasion was furnished by a Columbus orchestra.

Among the out-of-town guests were Miss Mary McGaughey of Columbus, Miss Della Hosack of Fredericktown, Mr. Harry Doolittle, Mr. Gorsuch and Mr. Vincent Welker of Gambler and Mr. Hoy Simons of Fredericktown.

Constantinople, Dec. 2.—Bloody fighting is going on today between Druss tribesmen and Turkish soldiers at Kerak, southern Syria, and more than 1,000 have fallen. Seven hundred of the tribesmen have been killed, the city of 34,000 has been captured by the fierce Druss.

News of the battle was received here today from Hayeran. The Turkish troops began an assault on the city at dawn today in an attempt to recapture it.

Pittsburg, Pa. Dec. 2.—Alone on the second floor of his home four-year-old Alexander Leplin burned to death today while his mother, Mary Levin, fought frantically to save him, entering the burning house twice and sustaining serious burns.

The child was left alone on the second floor, and in his play he probably knocked coals from the grate fire to the rug. Then, frightened at having started the fire, he hid in a cupboard and swung the door after him.

As the flames spread the child's screams were heard by the mother. When she ran upstairs the room was a mass of flames and the fire was spreading through the house. She searched the room but could not find the boy.

The house was destroyed, and when firemen had cooled the ruins enough to search for the body they found it charred to a cinder.

WANTED—At A. J. Flaharty's harness store, East Front St., Mt. Vernon, Ohio, hides, sheep pelts, tallow and furs, ginseng and golden seal. Write or phone for prices.

WHITE RIBBON COLUMN

Edited by Mrs. Thos. Weir

Motto—Here we meet for health, happiness and thanksgiving.

What time of year is this?

Thanksgiving is it? We'll be thankful then. You haven't had typhoid fever by drinking water or tuberculosis by drinking milk, or the tremors by drinking rum. Eat your turkey, goose or rabbit and pronounce the blessing. If you can't ask any other blessing than this one ask it: "A small boy in Kansas had had rabbit every day for days, when Thanksgiving came said he would ask the blessing which was as follows: 'Rabbit young rabbit old, rabbit tender, rabbit tough rabbit hot, rabbit cold, praise the Lord, we've had enough. Amen.'" But never mind what others have, be thankful you are saved from ill, even too much rabbit. Hunters are coming in laden with what was given them. But there are hunters of evil that has been successful in the general temperance movement that has caused some to sit up and think. The public eye is upon them.

A Southern man prayed for a box of salve and got it, but it all depends on the salve to know whether he was thankful whether he got it or not. Capsicum salve is considered pretty hot.

If the saloon as an institution is right, it should be free as the dry goods business, and if it is wrong its recognition by the government can not be made right for a money consideration. God grant we may be so divinely led that history's victory upon our work shall be. By God's blessing they helped to make the world wider for woman, happiness for humanity.

Temperance— "Staunch and true, a worthy vessel that should laugh at all disaster and with wave and whirlwind wrestle, sail on oh ship strong and great, we know what master laid thy keel, what workman wrought thy ribs of steel. In spite of wave and tempest roar. In spite of false lights on shore, sail on nor fear to breast the sea. Our hearts, our hopes, our prayers, our tears, our faith triumphant o'er our fears, are all with thee—are all with thee."

Longfellow was a true prophet of old. I wonder did he look down and see our present predicament.

Woman will have to be the sorrow of mankind; already she has saved some, she can and will save others. Only the household is her aim, each one her own and she has a great work to do, but she not only strives to help her own but others.

For each timid woman in the wearing of the white ribbon helps to raise the flag of purity all over the world. Woman has entered almost all ranks of life, under the necessity bill. She must work for herself and family or they starve. She can and does all kinds of work.

Here's a joke on the poets: The \$250 prize awarded by a western newspaper for the best poem written was given a woman in an insane asylum. What couldn't a woman do outside the walls. Even caged knowledge drew the prize.

Outside the walls how high should genius rise? 30,000 women in our state, with such sealed knowledge in their fate, will yet win the power to vote, we want the other side to vote. "Thinking is power, it makes for efficiency."

Mrs. Anna Sheldon, a state worker and organizer, was with us a few days, and spoke in the A. M. E. church, on Tuesday evening, and organized a new union at the home of Mrs. Albert Roy. The following officers were elected:

President—Mrs. Alice Roy.
Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. H. B. Toomy.
Treasurer—Miss Lillie Gibson.
Recording Secretary—Mrs. Bertha Payne.

Mrs. Sheldon is a very much enthused worker and was well received. Mrs. Sheldon is well known to our Union and we are glad to have her here and glad to welcome a new union in Knox county. Success to the new Union.

Have heard of the great success of the contest at Democracy. A great class, a class of young lady school teachers and each acquitted herself to well, it was hard for the judges to award a medal. But we are just as proud of those that could not receive the medal. We hope to hear from this class again, and much credit is due the contest superintendent, Maud Ilett, for arranging such a paying and instructive entertainment. Hurrah for Democracy.

Miss Forsaker, our county president, was in the city last night holding an executive meeting, went to Mt. Liberty, then to Centerville to visit the unions.

How many of our 1,000 ladies of Knox county could go to the next meeting in the true spirit, and not feel out of our leaders and workers?

Miss Rose Davidson will be in our own next week. Be sure to hear her.

FORMER

Resident Of Mt. Vernon Now
Commander Of U. V. L.

Honor Falls Upon Ira D.
Hunt Of Columbus

Chosen By Administration
Board Thursday

I. D. Hunt, a former resident of Mt. Vernon, was on Thursday elected National Commander of the Union Veteran Legion of the United States.

The following from the Columbus Dispatch tells of his election.

I. D. Hunt, a prominent veteran of Columbus, was Thursday morning elected national commander of the Union Veteran Legion to succeed his late friend, Captain Nathan Munshower.

Mr. Hunt's election to the highest office of an organization of men who served from the beginning of the Civil War to the end, was effected at the meeting of the board of administration held in Philadelphia, Thursday.

Mr. Hunt has been for the last two years commander of the Columbus encampment of the U. V. L., and has been nominated for a third term.

Captain Munshower expressed the desire that upon the event of his death his office remain in Columbus, and the work which he had planned be carried out. Mr. Hunt, as an old friend, was accordingly chosen to succeed him.

At the meeting of the U. V. L. last Sunday, Mr. Hunt was formally inducted for the position, and was formally elected. Thursday morning, in the Quaker City. He is a traveling man for the Brown Wagon company, of Zanesville, and lives with his wife at 1350 Franklin avenue.

OBITUARY

Robert, the sixteen-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Lewis, died at the home of his parents at 402 East Walnut street Thursday afternoon at about three o'clock after a four weeks' illness. The funeral at the house Saturday afternoon at two o'clock, Rev. Black officiating. Interment in Mount View cemetery.

Benjamin Laffer

Benjamin Laffer died at his home on the Delaware road just west of this city, on Friday morning at about 4:30 o'clock after a very short illness caused by heart trouble. The deceased was a carpenter and was born August 19th, 1849. He is survived by his wife, two brothers, Charles and Samuel, and one sister, Mrs. Rebecca McManis. Mr. Laffer had for many years been a resident of Mt. Vernon and was a member of the First Baptist church of this city.

The arrangements for the funeral have not yet been made.

Braddock Funeral

The funeral of the late Martin Braddock, who died at his home just east of Fredericktown on Thursday morning, will occur Saturday afternoon at one o'clock at the house, Rev. Hamby of Fredericktown officiating. Interment at Forest cemetery at Fredericktown.

HAROLD B. CHASE

Become An Editor On Staff Of Red
And Blue Of The U. of P.

(Washington Star)
Harold B. Chase, son of P. B. Chase of this city, has been elected to the editorial staff of the Red and Blue, the University of Pennsylvania literary magazine.

Mr. Chase is a senior in the college of the university, is an editor of the Pennsylvanian, the university daily, business manager of the Punch Bowl, the comic publication of the university, a member of the 1911 senior record committee and manager of the soccer foot ball team.

He graduated from Friend's School this city, in the spring of 1897, going to the University of Pennsylvania the following year.

He graduated from Friends' School '96 was prominent in athletics, holding several school track records for Washington.

Mrs. Harold Walker was a Columbus visitor this afternoon.

Miss Margaret Krebs returned to her home in Columbus Friday morning after a week's visit with friend at Mt. Vernon.

BAD FALL

Sustained By An Aged Lady
Thursday Evening

Mrs. Christina Mowery, residing at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Eliza Shellenbarger at 308 East Burgens street, sustained a number of severe injuries by falling down stairs on Thursday evening. Mrs. Mowery was ascending the stairs when, in some manner, she fell backward to the bottom of the steps. The back of her head was cut and bruised badly and her right thumb was very painfully injured. Dr. C. K. Conard was called in attendance and it was found that the results of the injuries will not prove serious.

SHORT LOCALS

Mrs. Warren Swetland is confined to her home in Sparta by a severe attack of illness.

Mrs. Thomas Hillier and daughter, Miss Jane, went to Columbus this afternoon for a short visit.

Mr. William Schanfarber of Columbus is in this city for a few days on business.

Mr. J. F. Dodd of Cleveland spent Thursday in Buckeye City attending to some business matters.

Mr. Acey Rowley of Columbus is spending a few days in Mt. Vernon the guest of relatives.

Mr. E. W. Ogg of West Vine street went to Ulica Friday noon to attend to some matters of business.

Mrs. Leslie Higgins returned to her home in Cambridge, Ohio, Friday noon after a short visit with relatives in this city.

Mr. Lee W. Thrallkill wishes to announce that he will open his new restaurant at first door south of postoffice Saturday, for dinner. Regular meals served at 25c; merchants lunch 15c. Lunch counter in connection. Open day and night.

W. W. Atherton of Pike township, Knox county, was operated upon at St. Francis hospital, Columbus, on Thursday for hernia. The operation was successful and the patient is recovering nicely.

Quite a number of the members of the Mothers and Teachers' club of the First ward visited the domestic science department at the Third ward building Thursday afternoon. The lesson and talk on cereals was very interesting and instructive and was greatly enjoyed by those present.

Mrs. Alexander Cassil left this afternoon for Atlanta, Ga., where she will spend a portion of the winter with her son, Mr. H. H. Cassil. She may possibly visit Tampa, Florida, with the Rev. and Mrs. Pendleton, formerly of Mt. Vernon.

Mr. Wm. H. Thompson went to Toledo this morning.

Mr. George Mochwart of South Vernon went to Howard Friday morning on business.

Miss Marian Rose of Granville is spending several days with friends in Mt. Vernon.

Messrs. Edward Wuchner and J. J. Pfautz went to Gambler Friday morning to spend the day.

Mr. Ambrose Dickerson and Mr. Charles Taylor spent Friday hunting near Sparta.

Messrs. Warren Kirk and Pierce Thayer of this city, spent Thursday hunting near Butler.

Mr. L. A. Storms of Lafayette, Indiana, spent Thursday in Mt. Vernon attending to some matters of business.

Mr. Oscar Arnold, who is attending Denison university at Granville, O., is spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Arnold of North Gay street.

The Scribner trio went to Howard Friday to furnish music for the second dance of the season given by the Howard Dancing Club on Friday evening.

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Dr. David Francis of Mt. Vernon will be in Howard on Dec. 16 to deliver his lecture on "Wit, Humor and Repartee—An Hour of Button-Busting Fun." Lecture to be given in the Christian Church for the benefit of the Endeavor Society. Admission 15c and 25c.

What's the use saying anything when there is nothing to say.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed and qualified administrator of the estate of

HAROLD BIGGS
late of Knox county, Ohio, deceased, by the Probate Court of said county.

November, 25, 1910.
CHARLES E. BIGGS,
Gambler, Ohio

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Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Arnold of Mt. Vernon were in Granville Wednesday evening in attendance at the concert in which their son, Leland Arnold, took part.—Newark Advocate.

Mr. Clinton Neal of Columbus spent Thursday with relatives in this city.

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No. 14..... 6:50 a. m.
No. 4..... 11:30 a. m.
No. 16..... 5:36 p. m.
No. 8..... 6:18 p. m.

West

No. 7..... 8:26 a. m.
No. 17..... 8:57 a. m.
No. 3..... 6:30 p. m.
No. 15..... 10:08 p. m.
Nos. 16 and 17 daily except Sunday. Other trains daily.

C. & A. C. R. R.

South Bound

*No. 506..... 12:41 a. m.
**No. 520..... 9:58 a. m.
**No. 522..... 6:30 a. m.
**No. 504..... 9:00 a. m.
**No. 518..... 10:55 a. m.
**No. 502..... 12:25 p. m.
**No. 505..... 5:19 p. m.
**No. 509..... 9:27 p. m.

North Bound

*No. 507..... 2:25 a. m.
**No. 501..... 7:24 a. m.
**No. 509..... 8:34 a. m.
**No. 503..... 1:59 p. m.
**No. 506..... 5:52 p. m.
**No. 519..... 6:49 p. m.
**No. 521..... 7:19 p. m.
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